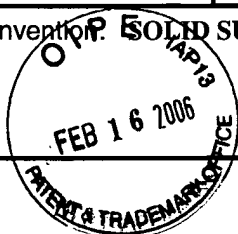
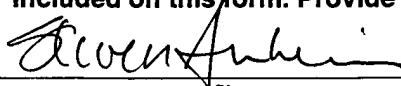
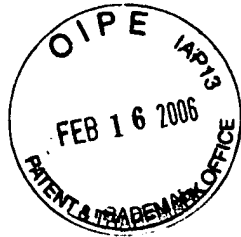


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Invention: SOLID SURFACE MATERIAL FABRICATION STATION					
 COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27					
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 03-3975.

Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the list that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks: begin on page 8 of this paper.